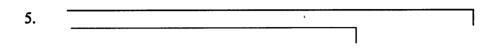
BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matt	er of)
Simmons for Congress and Anne Simeone, in her official capacity as treasurer.) rad referral 07L-07
	<u>CERTII</u>	FICATION
I, Ma	ary W. Dove, Secretary of th	ne Federal Election Commission, do hereby
certify that o	on May 23, 2007, the Comm	ission decided by a vote of 5-0 to take the
following ac	tions in RAD Referral 07L-	07:
1.	Open a MUR.	
2.	Find reason to believe that Simmons for Congress and Anne Simeone, in her official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(b).	
3.	Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated May 17, 2007.	
4.]

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6. Approve the appropriate letter.

Commissioners Lenhard, Mason, von Spakovsky, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

May 23, 2007

Mary W. Dove

Secretary of the Commission